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BUTTE RAILWAY GUIDE.

| MONTANA UNION. | |
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| Leave. | Arrive. |
| Helena Express..... | 7:50 a. m. 12:10 p. m. |
| Montana Union Express..... | 2:35 p. m. 6:55 a. m. |
| Anaconda Express..... | 10:40 a. m. 10:15 a. m. |
| Anaconda Express..... | 5:25 p. m. 3:44 p. m. |
| Union Pacific Fast Mail..... | 4:30 p. m. 2:35 p. m. |
| Union Pac. Eastern Ex..... | 7:00 a. m. 6:02 a. m. |

| MONTANA CENTRAL. | |
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| Arrive. | Leave. |
| St. Paul Express..... | 6:30 p. m. 7:45 a. m. |
| Helena Accommodation..... | 11:40 a. m. 3:30 p. m. |

| CLOSING AND ARRIVAL OF MAILS. | |
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| Arrive. | Leave. |
| Mail for California and the Southern States..... | 7:30 a. m. 1:30 a. m. |
| Mail for East via M. C. Ry..... | 7:30 a. m. 8:50 p. m. |
| Mail for East via N. P. Ry..... | 7:30 a. m. 8:50 p. m. |
| Mail for West via N. P. Ry..... | 1:30 p. m. |

BUTTE CURRENT NOTES.

Henry A. Root is over from Helena. Detective Curley Rhodes will soon be out again.

B. C. Kingsbury has returned from his trip east. A son was born on Thursday to Mrs. Phillip Wiseman.

N. S. Hay, superintendent of the Pacific Express company, was in town yesterday.

Ivanhoe lodge, Knights of Pythias, met in the new Good Templars' hall last night.

William Brent of Pioneer and Julia Francis of Potosi were granted a marriage license yesterday.

The Mendocino Quintette club left yesterday afternoon, announcing the concert announced for last evening.

SALVATION AND SNOW BALLS.

Three Persons Arrested for Fighting and Disturbing the Peace.

BUTTE, Dec. 11.—The Salvation army to-night undertook to take the law in its own hands. During its parade this evening the usual crowd collected upon East Park street, and one or two spectators began snow balling the army, and another, William Henry Cole, appeared on the street in a clown's costume, which was taken as a personal insult by the army. James Temple, captain of the army, jumped from the ranks and assaulted Cole. A rough and tumble fight ensued, amid the cheers of the onlookers, and while both were tumbling on the ground Officer Scott appeared and placed them under arrest. Captain Temple is charged with assault and battery and Cole with disturbance of the peace. Mr. and Mrs. Ted Westlake of the Salvation army put up a cash bond for the release of Temple. Peter Petrus was then arrested on complaint of the army for throwing snow balls at them.

INSPIRED BY PURE AIR.

The People of Walkerville Favored by the Gods.

WALKERVILLE, Dec. 11.—In a marked contrast with the Egyptian plague from which Butte was suffering this evening in the face of smoke, was the clear and unpolluted atmosphere of Walkerville. On boarding a car at Broadway one could scarcely see half a block ahead as it ascended the hill. In the vicinity of the powerhouse the density of the smoke was so great and it was apparent that the car was emerging from Cimmerian gloom that had settled down like the sable goddess over the lower part of the city. Gradually the air became clearer as the car climbed the hill, and when Walkerville was reached, it tempted the recent arrival from Butte to take several deep inhalations in order to enjoy the sudden change. The air was as clear as could be and Luna looked down upon the glistening snow as if that was her favored feast; it was like stepping from the region of Avernus upon the top of high Olympus and looking off upon the Aegean sea of smoke below.

A Pleasing Concert.

BUTTE, Dec. 11.—The ladies of the South Butte Methodist church gave a delightful concert in the church this evening. The affair was well attended and was a decided financial success. Each one of the participants of the programme acquitted himself in a creditable manner and was rewarded by hearty applause.

The band soloist, Ora Manchester, was given in an entertaining manner and was much appreciated by the audience. The anthem, "The Beautiful Golden Gates," by the choir, was sung in an impressive tone, with a full interpretation of the meaning of the composer. Miss Jennie Drake acquitted herself creditably as a piano soloist, and her accomplished playing afforded the audience a high degree of pleasure. These are but a few numbers of the programme, but all were rendered in a highly artistic style.

Betting on the Results.

BUTTE, Dec. 11.—The campaign in Walkerville still waxeth hotter and is now so close that a good deal of money is being put up on the result. It was stated to-day that all comers ready to bet on W. E. Hall for mayor can be accommodated at Dennis Driscoll's store for from \$500 to \$5,000. There is said to be about \$1,100 up at Broughton's.

Real Estate Transfers.

BUTTE, Dec. 11.—The following transfers were recorded at the office of the county clerk since our last report: James A. Murry to James Trust, a portion of the surface of the Railroad lodge quarry, claim..... \$1,150 00

Emma E. Turner to Duncan A. McAnally and Alex A. McKenzie, lots 10 and 11, block 5, Noyes & Upton's addition..... 325 00

As Usual.

BUTTE, Dec. 11.—The Union club gave another of its pleasant social dances at Renshaw hall to-night. Almost the entire membership of the club was out, there being 40 couples on the floor. The music was furnished by Van Orton's orchestra, and Professor Couture had the management of the affair, which was socially as successful as the usual Union club meetings.

Payment on the Monitor.

BUTTE, Dec. 11.—The first payment on the bond of the Monitor mine was made to-day, amounting to \$25,000. The bond is to the Butte & Boston company and is for \$100,000. The Monitor adjoins the Ground Squirrel on the east and has a shaft 250 feet deep.

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MRS. WATSON'S TRIALS

She Learns Through the "Standard" of the Death of Her Son.

BEFORE THE COMMISSIONERS

Her Mind Unbalanced by Worry—Her Son's Fortune in the Hands of the Public Administrator.

BUTTE, Dec. 11.—Mrs. Watson, an account of whose long and unhappy search for her son in Montana was related in the STANDARD several weeks ago, has, through its publication, finally come to the end of her journey, and has learned through it that the young man is dead, and that he left an estate in the hands of Public Administrator Murphy. Mrs. Watson appeared before the county commissioners this morning in a somewhat wrecked state of mind, and told her story in a rather unintelligible manner, but with the aid of the reporter, who was familiar with the woman's story and claims, the commissioners learned enough to satisfy themselves that she is entitled to the estate, which for nearly a year, has been awaiting a claimant.

From her disconnected story it was gleaned that her son, James Watson, came to Butte some years ago and saved considerable money from his wages as a miner. Last January he wrote to his mother, who was living in Newburg, N. Y., and sent her \$150 with which to come to Butte and join him. The poor woman did as instructed, but while she was on her way her son went to Anaconda to work temporarily in the smelters there. He had no more than reached that place when he was stricken down with pneumonia and died at the Sisters' hospital there. A few days after his death his mother arrived in Butte, but could find no trace of her son or learn anything of his whereabouts. Her worry and anxiety resulted in sickness, but she was cared for until her money was all gone. There is no question but that her mind became slightly affected and people believed that her talk concerning her lost son was simply the hallucinations of a mind diseased. Little attention was paid to her. She secured employment in Butte, but continued her inquiries up to a few months ago, when she was found on the streets by officers one night and in a starving condition. The woman was taken to the county jail and charged with insanity, but after a few weeks of care she recovered and Commissioner Caprice sent her to Helena, where she again started on the search for her son, which was continued all over that part of the state and was taken up by the Helena newspapers, but of course, came to nothing. The authorities of Lewis and Clarke county then sent her to the poor house, where she remained for a month or more and was then sent to work on a ranch between Stuart and Anaconda. While there she heard of the story in the STANDARD in regard to her son's death and the money left by him. She immediately went to Anaconda and learned at the hospital there that the facts were as published. She said to-day that the sisters told her the son's last words were about his mother and that he tried to give some information or instructions, but died before he could make himself understood. Mrs. Watson claims to have identified a trunk and contents which he left at Anaconda.

Last Sunday she came to Butte to see the administrator, who has about \$1,500 left by James Watson, but upon searching the city was again overcome mentally and wandered about the streets. She was arrested on the charge of drunkenness and spent several days in the county jail before her identity became known and when she was released she hunted up Mr. Murphy, which was last night. She asked for some money, but was informed that she would first have to prove her claim and then get an order from the court, and she then left, promising to return this morning with some letters she claimed to have in her possession from her dead son, but she failed to produce them to-day, and Mr. Murphy is inclined to doubt her right to the money.

Some one sent her to the commissioners this morning, to whom she told her story in substance as above, and also stated that the letters she spoke of to Mr. Murphy are at her home in Newburg, and that she would send for them to prove her claims. Judge McFaddon was called in and suggested that the woman be sent to the Sisters' hospital for a few days to rest up, as her present condition of mind is such that she can give no very rational account of herself. The judge told her that she is in the hands of friends and that her interests will be looked after as soon as she recovers. The commissioners sent the woman to the hospital as directed, and while it appears that she is slightly unbalanced mentally, they can readily find an excuse for her condition when her sad experience and sufferings are considered. There is, however, very little doubt that she is the mother of James Watson and entitled to the money in the hands of the administrator.

IN POLICE COURT.

BUTTE, Dec. 11.—The vags who were captured in a cabin down in Silver street a few days ago were fined \$25 and costs each by Judge McMurphy this afternoon. As they were unable to pay the amount, they were committed for 23 days. The prisoners started down the stairway leading from the police court room to the city jail, and the two foremost prisoners quickly raised a window on the stairway and made their escape. They were Thomas Hays and George Kilans. The window is at the first landing, about 15 feet from the ground, unprotected by bars. Jailor Vanston saw them disappear and rushed to the basement door, thinking to intercept them, but was too late. The rest of the gang was committed. Smith, the colored man, charged with murdering Officer Mike Donovan, pleaded not guilty to the charge. The case will not be set for trial until the full extent of the officer's injuries are ascertained.

Charles Craig, for begging money on the streets, was sent up for 30 days. James W. Hart and Charles Martin, charged with stealing an album from Mrs. Neidenhoff's, pleaded not guilty.

The case against Mike Francis and Joseph Carr, charged with threatening to kill John Mihaldi, was dismissed.

Tom Van Buskirk, charged with stealing a silk shirt, changed his plea to guilty and sentence was suspended during good behavior.

The case against Ike Morehouse, charged with letting minors play in his gambling house, was dismissed.

Bessie Williams, for malicious mischief, paid a fine of \$10 and costs.

J. A. Conroy, for selling goods without license, paid the costs in the case and was dismissed.

Charles Matteson, charged with assault and battery, was dismissed.

J. E. W. Hight, for assaulting Mrs. Hight, was tried, found guilty and committed for 23 days.

Cut flowers; outside orders given prompt attention. A. W. Noble, 63 West Broadway.

When you want retail oil wagon, telephone 317, Butte Oil company.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

Delegates to the Irrigation Congress—The Wants of the Poor.

BUTTE, Dec. 11.—The county commissioners this morning received another communication from Governor Toole on the matter of appointing delegates to the irrigation convention called to meet in Helena on January 7, 1892, and urging the importance of the approaching meeting.

Among the subjects to be discussed are the establishment of an irrigation bureau, state irrigation engineer and corps to take proper control, management and preservation of streams and storage opportunities, and whether the national government shall transfer its arid domain to the several states where it is localized, and a score of other subjects that will give the opportunity to make citizens think and act on the vast interests involved in state control of water and lands, and the great agricultural possibilities for Montana by irrigation. In his letter to the commissioners the governor asks for the postoffice address of every delegate from Silver Lake county. A list of names was presented and the following 40 delegates were selected to represent the county at the coming convention:

Marcus Daly, John H. McQueeney, George H. Long, J. J. Feeley, W. A. Clark, J. E. Cowan, P. A. Lange, Lee Cantel, George W. Irvine, Andrew J. Davis, George H. Casey, Thomas Couch, John A. Leggat, J. R. Boyce, Jr., S. F. Fitchett, William Hamilton, C. A. Small, Lee Foster, all from Butte; T. C. Jackson, David S. Dewey, William Woodward, L. G. Ward, Joseph Cartier, Divide; T. M. Robbins, J. G. Maddux, C. L. Bauman, William Bowe, Jefferson McCauley, Melrose; Thomas O. Mills, T. Clowes, Miles, Ernest Spicer, Charles H. Carver, William Stohr, Silver Bow Junction; Eli Gregson, H. B. Eckelston, Stuart; D. A. Morrison, H. C. Egan, E. S. Baxter, South Butte; W. A. Ralston, Ralston; Levi Cartier, Feeley. The commissioners recognize the importance of the irrigation convention, and hope that as many as possible of the delegates appointed today will attend.

Among the other business attended to by the commissioners to-day were the usual daily pleas from the poor. Mrs. Guiske was on hand once again and asked for some wood, and she got it. Dr. Tremblay was present and stated that he was persnick at the poorhouse and getting well rapidly. He also expressed the opinion that the house will not be large enough to accommodate all the paupers this winter, and thought that some kind of work should be provided for some of the inmates after the winter to keep them busy in circulation. He also thought that a little compulsory work would reduce the number of inmates. The bill of the poor house management for last month was a little over \$300.

The bill of the justices in the Penrose case was discussed, but no conclusion reached in regard to it. County Attorney Baldwin was present, and while he did not ask that they are not entitled to all they ask, he did not understand how the bill could be allowed, as it is presented, under the law, an answer to Justice Herbert. Murphy would be entitled to \$20 for his 44 days' work, while Justice Herbert would probably have to be contented with the glory he got out of the case.

The remainder of the day's session was taken up with the consideration of bills and adjusting a few tax complaints.

THE KILLING OF LONG.

Verdict of the Coroner's Jury—Told by the Widow of the Dead Man.

BUTTE, Dec. 11.—The inquest over the remains of the late J. S. Long, postponed from Wednesday, was continued before Coroner Beale this afternoon. No new facts were elicited from today's evidence, the testimony all being of a corroborative character.

The young son of the unfortunate Long was the first witness put upon the stand. He stated that neither he nor his father struck or made any motion to strike Rule until after the shot was fired. The son grabbed him by the throat and Steinberg took hold of my father," said the witness. "Rule then shot at me and I ran for home. My father was standing on the stoop with his assailant just beneath him on the ground when the fatal shot was fired. When father received the wound he walked home, leaning on the arm of my mother. I immediately went in search of a physician, and on arriving at home I found my father sitting in the chair into which he had dropped when he reached the house. He was in a physician's order, put to bed and the bullet was probed for about an inch and a half. The young man concluded his evidence by testifying to his father's soundness of mind when the ante-mortem statement was taken.

The widow of the murdered man was next put upon the stand. She was in deep mourning and appeared utterly prostrated over her recent loss. "I am the widow of Jacob S. Long, had been married to him 22 years last July. Was present at the house of Steinberg at the 14th of December, when my husband was shot. He was not raising any disturbance whatever, and went to the house to bring myself and son home. I heard Rule call Mr. Long a son of-a-bitch, and then saw the flash of the pistol. Myself or husband had any difficulty with Rule or his wife on the night the shot was fired. Three shots were fired and I took my husband home. On the way thither he said, 'Lizzie, I am shot.'"

The jury retired to consider their verdict after being out a few moments, brought in the following verdict: "An inquest held at Butte City, in the county of Silver Bow, on the 11th day of December, before me, J. W. Beale, coroner of said county, upon the body of Jacob S. Long, there lying dead, by the jurors upon their oaths do say that the said Jacob S. Long came to his death from a gun shot inflicted on the person of said Jacob S. Long, deceased, by Joseph S. Rule."

Beware of the Ice.

BUTTE, Dec. 11.—The sidewalks in the business portion of the city are in a very slippery condition on account of the ice. Many pedestrians on Main street have found this to their discomfort. All day the heels of some luckless individual have been flying upward and he has taken a sudden seat on the pavement. "He that thinketh he standeth, take heed lest he fall," is particularly appropriate in view of the condition of the walks in this weather.

Stickney's Patent.

BUTTE, Dec. 11.—One hundred shares in Professor Stickney's patent process for roasting ores have been subscribed for since 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The shares represent \$100. The subscribers are among the most substantial men of the city. The money is for the purpose of giving a full and complete test of Professor Stickney's plan of getting rid of the smoke.

Pavilion skating rink opens from 2 to 4:30 p. m., and 7 to 10 p. m. Ladies' skates free. Joe Dalton, manager.

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China Silks, 32 inches wide, in 10 new and desirable shades at 40 cents a yard, for a \$1 quality. The shades are: Pumpkin, Cardinal, Cream, Lavendar, Pink, Shrimp, Green, Sage, Rose, Old Rose.

Remember that it is the \$1 quality and width for 49 cents, and that to-day is the last day of the sale and to-day \$1 Surahs, in black and colors, for 69 cents, \$1.50 Faille Francaise, street and evening shades, for 99 cents, \$1.50 Satin Rhadame, street shades, for 98 cents, \$1.25 Rhadame for 79 cents, \$2 Black Surah for \$1, \$1.50 Black Crepe de Chine for \$1, \$2.50 Black Bengaline Silk for \$1.75, \$2 Imported Surah for \$1.40, Black and White Check Surahs reduced from \$1 to 50 cents, \$1.50 Plaid Surahs for 95 cents, 75 cent Satin for 46 cents.

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Removal Announcement.

Having recently removed my barber shop from the corner of Park street and Main alley, I take this method of informing the public of the fact and also of assuring them they will always receive prompt and efficient service at the new stand that they have had at the old place in the past.

Respectfully Yours,
H. M. CUSHING,
59 West Park, Butte, Mont.

To Whom It May Concern.

We, the undersigned, have this day mutually agreed to dissolve partnership formerly existing between us, formerly known as Oliver Thornly and Wm. Cassidy, contractors and builders, Oliver Thornly retaining the business, collecting all debts and paying all bills.

CASSIDY & THORNY,
Butte, Montana, Nov. 18, 1891.

For Xmas.

A nice silver brick, or souvenir spoon with any mine, or your own residence (from photo.), on it, from Leys, the jeweler, 12 North Main street.

Notice.

Bids on grading wanted by the Montana Ore Purchasing company, room 3, Lewisohn building, corner Utah and Granite streets.

Piano Tuning.

Leave orders for W. A. Smith at E. H. Sherman's, or with Van Orton & Reinhardt.

Wanted.

Two live carriers for big routes on the STANDARD. Apply to Butte office before 9:30 a. m.

BUTTE, Dec. 5.—The handsomest Christmas present on sale is the souvenir of choice views in Butte and vicinity. It only costs \$1, pleases all and is especially appropriate to send to eastern friends. Another large shipment is just received. Everybody is talking about the souvenir. The best thing about Butte ever issued. Headquarters at the Elliott gallery and all book stores. A page is devoted to Anaconda and another to Deer Lodge.

A trip down the lovely Columbia river from the "The Dalles" to Portland, Ore., on the Union Pacific is enchanting, and will never be forgotten.

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